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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully  
requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents  
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g), (h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure  
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The present Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of a first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits, and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the appropriate fees from Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal LLP Deposit Account No.: 19-3140/MONS:187US.

This application is related by inventorship and/or subject matter to co-pending U.S. application Serial Nos. 11/995,066 filed January 8, 2008 and 12/299,432 filed November 3, 2008.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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